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Dear Attorney McLaughlin

Some time back I was given a message from your office concerning the supplemental response and sending the mentioned supplemental information.

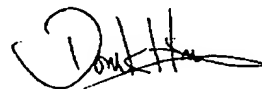
I left a voice messages regarding this matter recently, that we had provided with our last submission, declarations from two Licensed attorneys, Attorney Casey additionally being a licenced patent attorney, that our client's attorney Nickey, had and methodically maintained a computerized docket system. Attorney Casey attested to it with four years of personal knowledge, as did attorney Erlach.

Further Attorney Casey's further testified with personal knowledge that attorney Nickey's performance was affected by his illness, but such might not be noticeable by someone who was not in constant contact with him.

If these declarations did not reach your desk as filed, I can fax them to you. I believe the above was property responsive to the chief concerns voiced in the last Request for Additional Information, as to whether Nickey had a docket system, used it, and may have had illness affected performance prior to his untimely death. If you need anything else, I can provide that also. Further, if personally speaking with Patent Attorney Casey or Attorney Erlach would be of assistance I can arrange such also.

I realize the petitions office is busy however, I am planning on visiting our client in convalescence in San Francisco soon. If possible could you let me know if there is anything I might do, or provide, to accelerate a decision on the matter herein as he will invariably inquire during my visit.

Respectfully submitted,



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